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I believe STONGLY that no company should blatantly violate our nation s anti-trust laws. I believe more strongly it is time to resolve the blackhole of uncertainty surrounding the Microsoft case. There will NEVER be a settlement or verdict that is without strong controversy. America and Americans need your wisdom experience and good judgement during this difficult time. We need to remember that innovation made and keeps America great. Judge Kotelly this is a TOUGH decision for you. But this is a reasonable settlement. Americans everywhere will be positively impacted by resolving this case as expeditiously as possible. Thank you for reviewing these comments. I have included my name and number if you would like to contact me. PS FULL DISCLOSURE: I own 176 shares of Microsoft. I also own 400 shares of Oracle which is Microsoft s biggest corporate detractor.